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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 22 August 2008 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

- a) ☐ entered.
b) ☐ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.

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- d) ☒ disapproved. See explanation below.
e) ☐ entered in part. See explanation below.

Claims 1, 7 and 13 were not amended per the Examiner's Amendment that accompanied the allowance action mailed 5/27/2008.

In addition, amended claim 17 introduced a minor antecedent basis objection ("image correction method" instead of "image correcting method").

Also regarding claim 17, it is believed that applicant had intended to attribute the steps performed in claim 17 to a "frame data correction device" as cited in claim 12 (e.g., see the corresponding device claim 16).

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